

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

v.

Crim. No. 05-10214-MLW

FLORENTINO RUIDIAZ, JR.

MOTION FOR PRE-PLEA PRESENTENCE REPORT

Now comes the defendant in the above captioned matter, by his attorney, and moves this Honorable Court to order the preparation of a probation “presentence” report prior to his entry of a plea in this matter. As reason therefore, the defendant states that he is unsure as to how the probation department will categorize his criminal history category and sentencing guideline range, based upon the government’s version of the offense and probation’s determination of his criminal history category, and probation’s own research. Counsel for the defendant will be able to make a more informed recommendation to the defendant as to the advisability of making a plea after a review of the presentence report.

Respectfully Submitted,

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